

that is why the purpose of the bill exists and that is why it was introduced. Thank you.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Chambers, please. Senator Chambers, excuse me, we have an amendment on the desk.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Chambers would move to amend, on page 2, line 8, reinstate the word "at". (Amendment appears on page 1126 of the Legislative Journal.)

SPEAKER BARRETT: The Chair recognizes Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. Chairman, members of the Legislature, and, Senator Abboud, believe it or not, this is really designed to be a friendly amendment. If you put the word, reinstate the word "at", the sentence would read, any person who intentionally discharges a firearm at and strikes with a projectile, because the word "at" had been stricken in the committee amendment and it read, any person who intentionally discharges a firearm and strikes with a projectile, which could mean that the firearm was intentionally discharged but not, you know, at the structure that it hits. So if you put the word "at", it means it is intentionally discharged at and the striking occurs. I still don't like the bill and I don't know if that makes everything like it ought to be, but I think if it comes close to what you said your intent was.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Discussion on the amendment. Senator Beck, did you care to discuss the Chambers amendment? Thank you. Senator Abboud, did you care to discuss the Chambers amendment.

SENATOR ABOUD: Yes, Mr. President, I support Senator Chambers' amendment.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. Senator Hartnett, did you care to discuss it?

SENATOR HARTNETT: I move that we recess until one-thirty.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you.

SENATOR HARTNETT: March the second.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Mr. Clerk, have you matters for the record?